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**Via First Class Mail and Email ([norman.oliver@vdh.virginia.gov](mailto:norman.oliver@vdh.virginia.gov))**

M. Norman Oliver, MD, MPH  
State Health Commissioner  
Commonwealth of Virginia  
Virginia Department of Health  
P.O. Box 2448  
Richmond, VA 23218

***Re: Letter of Intent – PD 20  
Chesapeake Regional Medical Center  
Establish Open Heart Surgery Services in a Hybrid OR***

Dear Dr. Oliver:

Chesapeake Hospital Authority d/b/a Chesapeake Regional Medical Center intends to file an application for Certificate of Public Need approval to introduce open heart surgery services at Chesapeake Regional Medical Center within Planning District 20. The proposed project will involve the development and utilization of one authorized operating room and one authorized cardiac catheterization laboratory as a hybrid OR for open heart and closed heart surgery procedures.

Please transmit all application forms to Virginia Slocum at the following address:

Virginia Slocum, Strategic Operations Planning Manager  
Chesapeake Regional Medical Center  
736 Battlefield Boulevard, North  
Chesapeake, VA 23320  
[Virginia.Slocum@chesapeakeregional.com](mailto:Virginia.Slocum@chesapeakeregional.com)

Should you have any questions, please call 757-312-4150.

Sincerely,



Reese Jackson

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